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APPLICATION ELEMENTS <small>See MPEP chapter 600 concerning utility patent application contents.</small>		ADDRESS TO: Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450	
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<p>8. <input type="checkbox"/> Assignment Papers (<i>cover sheet & document(s)</i>)</p> <p>9. <input type="checkbox"/> 37 CFR 3.73(b) Statement (<i>to establish right of assignee to take action</i>)</p> <p>10. <input type="checkbox"/> Power of Attorney</p> <p>11. <input type="checkbox"/> English Translation Document (<i>if applicable</i>)</p> <p>12. <input type="checkbox"/> Information Disclosure Statement (<i>See 37 CFR 1.17(p) for fee</i>) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> a. <input type="checkbox"/> Copies of IDS Citations b. <input type="checkbox"/> (IDS) / PTO-144913. </p>			



13. Preliminary Amendment
14. Return Receipt Postcard (MPEP 503) (*Should be specifically itemized*)
15. Small Entity Statements:
- a. A small entity statement is enclosed claiming small entity status
 - b. A small entity statement was filed in the prior nonprovisional application and such status is still proper and desired
16. Priority of U.S. provisional application Serial No. _____, filed on _____ foreign application No. _____ filed on _____ in _____ (country), is claimed under 35 U.S.C. 119.
17. Certified Copy of Priority Document(s) (*if foreign priority is claimed*)
18. Other Documents Enclosed: _____

**REQUEST THAT APPLICATION NOT BE PUBLISHED PURSUANT
TO 35 U.S.C. 122(B)(2)**

19. Pursuant to 35 U.S.C. 122(b)(2), Applicant hereby requests that this patent application not be published pursuant to 35 U.S.C. 122(b)(1). Applicant hereby certifies that the invention disclosed in this application has not and will not be the subject of an application filed in another country, or under a multilateral international agreement, that requires publication of applications 18 months after filing of the application.

**FOR A CONTINUING APPLICATION OR A 35 U.S.C. § 111(a) APPLICATION
CLAIMING PRIORITY UNDER 111(b) PROVISIONAL APPLICATION**

20. Check appropriate box and supply the requisite information:
 Continuation Divisional Continuation-in-part (CIP)
21. Prior Application Information:
 US Serial No: 10/274,811, Filing Date: October 21, 2002
 Prior Application Examiner Wright, William G., Sr.
 Prior Application Art Unit: 1764
22. Cancel in this application original claims 2-27 of the prior application before calculating the filing fee.
 (At least one original independent claim must be retained for filing purposes).
23. Amend the specification by inserting before the first line the sentence:
 This is a continuation division of application Serial No. 10/274,811, filed October 21, 2002.
24. Amend the specification by inserting before the first line the sentence:
- This application claims priority under 35 U.S.C. § 119 of the following provisional application Serial No(s). _____ and filing date(s) _____
 - The entire disclosure of application Serial No. _____, filed _____ is incorporated herein by reference.
25. New formal drawings are enclosed.
26. A certified copy of the priority application has been filed in prior application Serial No. _____, filed _____.
27. The prior application is assigned of record to: _____.
28. The Power of Attorney in the prior application is to:
- a. The power appears in the original papers of the prior application.
 - b. Since the power does not appear in the original papers, a copy of the power in the prior application is enclosed.

Inventorship Modifications For Continuation or Divisional Application

29. Change the inventorship of this application by:

- a. Deleting the following inventors named in the prior application (37 CFR 1.53(b)(1)):

_____, because claim changes resulted in fewer than all of the previously named inventors of the prior application being the actual inventors of the invention being currently claimed in this CPA application (This request constitutes a Petition in accordance with 37 CFR 1.48(b))(See Box 4(b)(ii) and 37 CFR 1.17(i) for fee);

FEES

30. The filing fee is calculated below:

CLAIMS AS FILED, LESS ANY CLAIMS CANCELLED BY AMENDMENT BELOW

Type of Fee	Number Filed	Number Extra	Rate	TOTAL
Total Claims	11	0	\$18.00	\$0.00
Independent Claims	1	0	\$84.00	\$0.00
1st Time Multiple Dependent Claims (Yes=1 or No=0) =		0	\$280.00	\$0.00
			\$750.00	\$750.00
TOTAL FILING FEE DUE:				\$750.00
Other Fees				
Fee Type				Fee Amount
Total Fees				\$750.00

31. Please charge \$750.00 to Deposit Account No. 07-1770.

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32. The Director is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees under 37 CFR 1.16 and 1.17 which may be required, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 07-1770.

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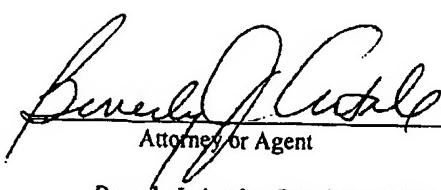
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